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Platinum Compounds for Nucleic Acid
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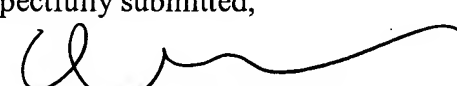
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1. The Notice stated that the basic filing fee and additional claims fee is missing. A check is enclosed in the amount of \$65.00 which includes:


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Filing Date Granted

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- The oath or declaration is missing.
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